May 30, winged female had produced 3 and wingless 8 young.

		66								
June	1	24	6.6		4.6	0			2	6.6
**	2	4.	**	4.6		0	6.6	4.4	0	4.6
44	3	**	**	**		1	6.6	6.6	1	4.4
		6.6								
66	5	**	6.6		5.5	0			2	6.6

The wingless female died on the 6th, but the winged female lived on, without issue, until the 11th of June. The period of reproduction being 19 days with the winged female and 21 days with the wingless, the former producing 40 and the latter 89 young.

I found that the young moulted on the second, and began reproducing either late on the seventh or early on the eighth day after birth. The insects and plants were inspected, and the young removed each morning, usually about 8 o'clock, so that the young were the production of the subsequent 24 hours.

## NOTES ON SPIDERS.

#### By NATHAN BANKS,

The following pages embrace some miscellaneous notes on spiders of the U.S. First I have given a list of the genera and species omitted from Dr. Marx' Catalogue; next some of the works containing descriptions of new species that have been published since Dr. Marx' Catalogue. Quite a number of synonyms are given and some other notes on species, then follows some keys and descriptions of new species.

#### GENERA OMITTED.

Liocranoides Keys. Neue Spinnen, 111, 1881, place after Phru-rolithus.

Glenognatha Simon. C. R. Ent. Soc. Fr., 1884, place after Pachygnatha.

Myrmecarachne Walsh. Proc. Am. Ent. Soc. 1864, = Synemosyna.

#### Species Omitted.

Actinopus audouini Lucas. Ann. Ent. Soc. Fr., 1845, p. 60, Amerique du Nord.

Micaria limnicume McCook. Proc. Acad. Nat. Sc., 1884, Description worthless. Pythonissa sericata Koch, Die Arach, d. Drass, Md. = P. bicolor Hentz.

Dictyna philosteichus McCook. = D. civica Lucas.

Clubiona tibialis Em. N. Eng. Drass. etc., N. Eng., N. Y., D. C. Agraca prateusis Em. N. Eng. Drass. etc., N. Eng., N. Y.

Liocranoides unicolor Keys. Neue Spinnen, III, Mammoth Cave, Ky.

Theridium lineamentum McCook. Agric. Ant. Texas, 1879, =- Lathrodectes mactans,

Steatoda distincta Thor. Colo. Aranea, 1877, Colo.

Crustulina lascivula Keys. Die Spinn. Am. Therid., 1886, Ga. Acrosoma bovinum Thor. Nya Exotiska Epeirider, 1858, Ala. Glenognatha emertoni Simon. C. R. Ent. Soc. Fr., 1884, Ariz.

Olios fasciculatus Simon, Rev. d. Sparass., Calif.

Lycosa febriculosa Becker. Ent. Soc. Belg., 1881, La.

Lycosa vulpina Em. N. Eng. Lycosidæ, Mass., N. Y.

Lycosa tigrina, McCook. Am. Ent. Soc., Vol. VII, p. XI, Mass., N. Y., Pa.

Tarentula pulchra Keys. Am. Citigradæ, 1876, N. Am.

Among the literature omitted by Dr. Marx may by mentioned the following:

McCook. — Many short papers on habits of spiders in the Proc. Acad. Nat. Sc. Phil.

BECKER. — Ent. Soc. Belg., 1881. Description of *Lycosa febriculosa*. Howard. — Catalogue of the Invertebrates of S. Carolina. A list of spiders by Dr. Marx embracing many Mss. names.

Walsh.—Proc. Am. Ent. Soc., 1864. Description of Myrmecarachne. Simon. — C. R. Ent. Soc. Fr., 1884. Description of Glenognatha. "— Revision d. Sparassidæ. Description of Olios fascien-

Thorell, — Nya Exotiska Eperider. Descriptions of Acrosoma bovinum and Argiope avara,

Lucas. — Ann. Ent. Soc. Fr., 1845. Description of Actinopus audouini.

Since the publication of Dr. Marx catalogue; spiders of the United States have been described in the following literature:

Banks. — Spider Fauna of Upper Cayuga Lake Basin, Proc. Acad. Nat. Sc. Phil., 1892.

" — N. Am. Dysderidæ, Can. Ent., 1891.

Curtis. — A New Jumping spider. Zoe, 1893, Jan.

EMERTON. — New England Spiders, Fam. Attidæ. Conn. Acad. Arts and Sciences, 1891.

EMERTON —New England Spiders, Fam. Thomiside. Conn. Acad. Arts and Sciences, 1892.

Fox. — New species of Ceratinella, Ent. Soc. Wash., 1891.

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Spiders, Ent. Soc. Wash., 1891.

McCock. — The Spiders of the United States. — Orbweavers, Vol. II, p. 135.

Simon. — Descr. espèces et genres nouveaux d. l. famille d. Avicularidæ. Ann. Soc. Ent. France, 1891.

" — Liste d. espèces d. l. fam. d. Aviculariides, etc. Actes d. l. Soc. Linn, d. Bordeaux, 1891.

STONE. — The Lycosidæ of Penn, and N. Jersey. Proc. Acad. Nat. Sc. Phil., 1891.

Since my last paper (Ent. News, Dec. 1891.) I have noticed the following synonymy:

Drassus saccatus Em, is D, neglectus Keys.

Clubiona lenta Bks. is C. pygmea Bks.

Thargalia perplexa Bks. is T. pinnata Em.

Thargalia fallax Bks. is of T. descriptus Hentz.

Cicurina complicata Em. is C. arcuata Keys.

Hahnia bimaculata Em. is H. agilis Keys.

Linyphia galbea Keys, is Lephthyphantes minuta Blk.

Erigone purpurascens Keys, is Theridium anglicanum Hentz,

Theridium ventillans Keys, is 3 of Theridula sphærula Hentz.

Erigone fabra Keys, is 3 of zygia Keys.

Treticus minutus Bks. is  $\delta$  of T. distinctus Bks.

Treticus luxuosus Bks, is 3 of Loph, venustum Bks,

Epcira alba Keys, is E. displicata Hentz.

Arsticus inornatus Em. is Synema bicolor Keys.

Misumena georgiana Keys, is M. spinosa Keys.

Misumena americana Keys, is Q of M, oblonga Keys,

Misumena foliata Bks. is M. rosca Keys.

Philodromus brevis Em. is of of P. minutus Bks.

Philodromus pernix Blk, is P. vulgaris Hentz.

Philodromus obscurus Blk, is P. rufus Walck.

Thanatus lycosoides Em. is T. rubicundus Keys.

Lycosa oblonga Bks. is L. immaculata Bks.

Lycosa rufa Keys, is  $\subsetneq$  of L, ocreata Hentz.

Lycosa polita Em. is Trochosa rubicunda Keys.

Lycosa communis Em, is L. lepida Keys. = L, erratica Hentz.

Pardosa nigripalpis Em. is P. flavipes Keys.

Tetragonophthalma undulata Keys, is T. dubia Hentz. Phidippus gracilis Keys, is Philæus princeps Peck, Phidippus clarus Keys, is P. octopunctatus Peck, Phidippus ruber Keys, is P. cardinalis Hentz. Philæus mexicanus Peck, is P. multicolor Hentz, Icius albovittatus Keys, is Philæus militaris Hentz, Icius vittatus Keys, is I. palmarum Hentz, Icius crassiventer Keys, is Dendryphantes octavus Hentz, Dendryphantes insignis Bks, is D. octavus Hentz, Dendryphantes multicolor Peck, is D. rarus Hentz, Habrocestum splendens Peck, is H. decorus Blk, Salticus fuligineus Blk, is Synageles scorpiona Hentz, Salticus borealis Blk, is near Habrocestum cæcatum Hentz, Prostheclina cambridgii Peck, is P. (Attus) aurata Hentz, Synemosyna noxiosa Hentz is Synageles scorpiona Hentz.

#### OTHER NOTES ON SPECIES.

Simon (Spiders of the Island of St. Vincent, p. 573) proposes Sergiolus for Herpyllus variegata Hentz. I think it hardly necessary in considering our fauna. Agraca tristis Keys, and A. Walsinghami Cambr. do not belong to Agraca but go in the subfamily Corinnine. Our genera of the subfamily have not been separated. Simon says (Faune d. Arach, d. Senegal) that Herpyllus discretus (sic) Hentz is a Tylophora. T. ornata Hentz seems to be a Corinnomma, Frontina should be changed to Floronia Sim, as the former is preoccupied; Linvphia conferta Hentz belongs to this Epcira infumata Hentz is a Vixia. Emerton (New England Thomisidæ) has placed Xysticus elegans Keys, 3 and X, crudelis Bks,  $\circ$  under the name of X, limbata Keys. The  $\partial$  X, elegans and X. limbata are certainly quite different species; to what females they belong can only be known by finding them together. X. brunneus Bks. is not X. crudelis, nor is X. locuples Keys. X. gulosus Keys, as Emerton asserts. X. gramineus Em. is found at Ithaca, N. Y., and on Long Island; I have a young ♀ from D. C.; it may turn out to be X, emertoni Keys, Diaa lepida Thorell is a Misumena, related to M. rosea Keys. Ebo latithorax Keys, is found as far north as Michigan. Habrocestum auratum Peck is not Hentz' species of that name, I propose for it agilis, it is found at Ithaca, N.Y. Attus auratum Hentz is Peckham's Prostheclina, it occurs in Texas. Phidippus tripunctatus Hentz should be called P. audax Hentz as the latter was described before the former. I have a 3 of Emerton's pretty Euophrys monadnock from West Cliff, Colorado. What

Peckham and Emerton describe and figure as such is certainly not Hentz' Salticus epphiatus for the position of the eyes and shape of the eephalothorax is entirely different; it should be called albocinctus Koch; it occurs on L. I. and at D. C. Synemosyna epphiatus Hentz, except for the legs, seems to be very close to what Peckham calls scorpiona Hentz.

## KEYS AND DESCRIPTION.

Our genera of Drassidæ may be separated as	below.
No dorsal groove	dicarina) Micaria
Dorsal groove present	(Drassinæ) 2
Illind row of eyes more or less recurved	(Gnaphosini) 3
2) Hind row of eyes straight or procurved	. (Drassini) 5
Head less than one-half as wide in front as in middle	Gnaphosa
Head more than one-half as wide in front  Mandibles with a toothed plate on the under side .	. Pythonissa
7) No such plate present	. Poecilochroa
A dorsal shield on base of abdomen	. Echemus
No such shield	6
6 P. M. E. oval	, Drassus
_ ( Lower spinnerets longest	Prosthesima
P. M. E. round  Clower spinnerets longest  Lower spinnerets shorter than upper pair  Clower spinnerets shorter than upper pair	. Teminius
Our genera of Clubionina may be tabulated the	
, ( Two rows of very strong spines under tibite I and II . (	
Tibiæ I and II not strongly spined	
2 \ Lower row of eyes strongly recurved	Liocranoides
Lower row of eyes not recurved	. Phrurolithus
3 Fourth pair of legs longest	Chiracanthium
(Lip only one-third shorter than maxilla	Clubiona
Lip not over one-half as long as maxillae	5
Lower row of eyes procurved	Agræca
of Lower row of eyes recurved	
The species of <i>Thargalia</i> known to me may	be separated by
the following color characters:	,
Legs lineated with black	. bivittata
(Legs not lineated with black	2
Abdomen red with a longitudinal black stripe each side Abdomen not so marked	crocata
Black, with a red spot or short stripe at tip of abdomen	. descripta
Not so marked	4
Without any black	5
( Black or with black bands	6
Black or with black bands Red, without bands Yellow, with two interrupted white bands	. aurata

65	Anterior femora red . Anterior femora blackish				٠.			٠.	1	riline	ata
(	Anterior femora blackish										7
7.	Posterior femora red or redo Posterior femora black	lish.	not	bla k	, mar	ıy light	band	ls on	the a	bdomei	ı. S
- '	Posterior femora black										9
9	Hind legs distinctly black	ban	ded							orna	ata
(	Hind legs not distinctly ba	ande	d.							pinna	ata
1	One band near base of abo	lome	en							agi	ilis
9	Many light bands on the a	bdo	men						loi	ngipal	pis

T. descripta has been considered the  $\bigcirc$  of T. crocata, but such is not the case as I have a  $\bigcirc$  crocata similar to the  $\bigcirc$ , and very different from descriptus. T. cingulata is probably T. trilineata of which T. zonaria appears to be but a variety, T. marmorata may be the same as T. ornata,

Our genera of Dictynidæ may be distinguished thus:

(Eyes 6	Neophanes
(Eyes 8	2
2 \ Legs without spines, cribellum, undivided	3
Spines on some legs, cribellum divided	4
(A. M. E. very much smaller than the others	Prodalia
3 (A. M. E. very much smaller than the others	. Dictyna
4 ( Maxillæ inclined over the lip	Amaurobius
Maxillæ straight	Titanœca

**Tapinopa,** a genus related to *Linyphia* but differing from all other Linyphinæ in lacking spines to the legs, occurs in the eastern U. S. It may be described as follows:

## Tapinopa bilineata n. sp.

Length  $\mathcal{P}$  3.5 mm. Cephalothorax pale with a broad black stripe each side, which does not, however, reach the margins; mandibles yellowish, with a spot at base in front and a line at base on the side blackish; sternum brown, blackish on the edges; legs and palpi whitish, a broad band on middle of femur, patella, bands at middle and tips of tibia and metatarsus, black; two black bands on palpi. Abdomen pale, grayish brown, blotched with white, two rows of four spots above, tip with a few chevrons, sides with some oblique stripes, and venter almost wholly, black. Legs 1, 4, 2, 3. Head slighthly projecting in front over the mandibles which are obliquely retreating, of large size, and have their lower margins armed with a row of slender spines. Clypeus low. A. M. E. the largest, other eyes about equal; A. M. E. projecting forward and downward on tubercles.

This species lives among grass or leaves close to the ground. It resembles *Stemonyphantes bucculentus* but readily separated by the absence of spines on legs, the structure of its mandibles, and the two rows of spots on the dorsum. The epigynum projects slightly as is common in *Bathyphantes*. I have it from Sea Cliff, N. Y. and Washington, D. C.

The Eastern species of *Linyphia* known to me may be separated as below.

	A Cephalothorax with a distinct median stripe				2
	Cephalothorax unicolorous				3
	Legs spotted, abdomen with a median serrate brown	wn strip	e, stri	pe on ceph	10 -
	lothorax narrow			phrygian	na
2	Legs unspotted, abdomen with large black spot	ts, stripe	on c	ephalothor	ax
	very broad	ц.		margina	ta
2	Abdomen marked with chocolate brown on poster	ior part		variabil	lis
3	( Abdomen marked with black				4
	( Abdomen with a broad median black stripe, conne	cted bel	ind b	y side strip	es
	to the black venter			commun	is
4	Abdomen black with a few light spots each side	, someti	mes c	onnected,	7
	mandibles large		, m	andibula	ta

The species known to me from the Pacific coast may be separated thus:

ī	Cephalothorax with a median stripe
·	Cephalothorax unicolorous
2	Red, legs not spotted rubrofasciata Legs spotted, not red phrygiana
_	Legs spotted, not red phrygiana
2	I.egs banded digna
,	( Legs not banded 4
	With a broad median black stripe on abdomen pusilla t Abdomen longer, with black lines and an apical spot litigiosa
+	t Abdomen longer, with black lines and an apical spot litigiosa

L. reducta Keys, is a Helophora, closely related to H. insignis Blk., L. arcuata Keys, is a Lephthyphantes and near L. nebulosus Sund, L. brevipes Keys, is a Bathyphantes.

In the Eastern States *L. marginata* and *L. phrygiana* are the most common species; on the Pacific coast *L. litigiosa* and *L. digna* seem to be the two most common forms.

The males of the species of *Ccratinella* known to me may be separated by the following key:

т	The head with a transverse fissure	. 2
	/ Head even, no fissure	. 4
2	S. E. on tubercles b	ulbosa
-	S. E. on tubercles	. 3
2	1 Dorsal shield very distinct fis	siceps
3	\(\text{ Dorsal shield very distinct}\) \(\) \(\) \(\) \(\text{shield indistinct}\) \(\) \(\) \(\) \(\text{at}\)	riceps
1.	Basal shield covering large part of venter	5
4	Basal shield covering large part of venter	. 6
	Tube of palpus shorter than the tarsus micro	palpis
5 -	Tube of palpus longer than the tarsus, smaller species but with	a larger
	palpus r	ninuta
6	1 Tibia of palpus with a long slender projection	. 8
0	Tibia of palpus with a long slender projection	. 7

7 (The projection very broad, not narrowed toward tip 7 (The projection narrowed from base to tip 2 P. M. E. less than diameter apart	læta nemis
S / P. M. E. less than diameter apart	9
Color dark gray or blackish	. 10
Golor pale yellow or reddish	. 11
Color dark gray or blackish Color pale yellow or reddish Tibial hook black, stout, cephalothorax very dark Tibial hook pale, slender, cephalothorax lighter  p	unnea lacida
Black of cephalothorax extends back to dorsal groove, very small species	l white gmæa
Tibial hook with two rounded teeth on side, narrowing toward t	the tip,
Tibial hook without such teeth, broad at tip, cephalothorax reddish	imilis

Ceratinella mæsta Bks. is a Lophocarenum, the only true species of Lophocarenum described from U. S. Ceratinella annulipes Bks. does not belong to the genus, I have a male from Poughkeepsie, N. Y., collected by Mr. Van Ingen, it is similar to the female, its palpus shows some relation to the Theridinæ; I know of no genus for it. Simon (Arach. d. France) has called our Ceratinella Ceraticelus; but I consider that the name Ceratinella was given not so much to supplant Ceratina (preoccupied) as it was to designate the species placed by its author (Emerton) under it. The European forms called Ceratina are thus without a genus, I propose for them Ceratinodes. My Ceratinella formosa is not a true Ceratinella. I propose for it Idionella distinguished by the position of the horny shield. I have collected it on Long Island, N. Y.

The females of our species of Acrosoma are separable thus:

Abdomen with ten spines, three on each side and four at tip . rugosa

Abdomen with six spines, two on each side and two large ones at tip . spinea

Abdomen with four spines, all at tip . . . , . . . . mitrata

In the Prairie Farmer 1861, p. 168, "Vespa" (Cyrus Thomas?) mentions *Gasteracantha spinicauda*, this is a synonym of *Acrosoma spinea*. *Acrosoma bovinum* Thorell is a synonym of *A. spinea*.

 Our species of the last three genera may be separated as in the following keys. Some species are very common and often noticed by all observers of nature. The webs are usually nearly horizontal, but sometimes quite oblique. The genital characters are nearly the same throughout, so that young forms are often as easily determinable as adult ones.

## Tetragnatha 3.

Tibia of palpus barely longer than patella			laboriosa
Tibia of palpus twice as long as patella Fang of mandibles undulate	1.		grallator
Fang of mandibles an even curve .			. extensa

## Tetragnatha (...

Abdomen silvery, S. E. separated, L. S. E. smaller than the others, small species faboriosa

Abdomen darker, S. E. closer together, equal

Mandibles as long as cephalothorax . . . . . . . . . . . . grallator Mandibles two-thirds as long as cephalothorax . . . . extensa

## Tetragnatha grallator Hentz.

The female has the abdomen enlarged near the base; the color darker than is usual in the group. The male varies much in size. Length of female 10—12 mm. Common in the Eastern States and Texas.

## Tetragnatha extensa Linn.

Smaller than *grallator* and the abdomen shorter. The colors are often quite dark, the cephalothorax with dark stripes. Western specimens have the tibial joint of the palpi shorter than the eastern ones; and are usually darker. Length of female 8—10 mm.

This is a boreal species, crossing our country from Maine to Washington State. In the north it is the most common species of the group.

# Tetragnatha laboriosa Hentz.

The female usually has a silvery abdomen, with a dark oblique line each side, and two or three silvery stripes on the dark venter. Sometimes there is a folium on the abdomen. The male is the smallest of the subfamily. Western males have the abdomen a little thicker than eastern ones. Length of female 6—8 mm.

Probably the whole United States; I have it from N. Eng., N. Y., Mich., D. C., La., Fla., Tex. and Wash, State.

T. illinoiensis Keys., and T. fluviatilis Keys., I consider as belonging to this species; both were described from females.

## Eugnatha 2.

Tibial	joint	of	the	palp	us no	t lon	ger	thau	patell	a, m	andil	les sh	orter	than the
ce	phalo	thora	x.									\	ermi	iformis
Tibial	joint	of th	e pa	lpus	twice :	as lon	g as	patel	la					
М	andib	les s	hort	er th	an th	e cepl	alot	horax	, a lai	ge to	oth o	11 the	inner	margin,
	outer	tool	h bif	id at	tip								str	aminea
М	andib	les a	s lor	g as	the ce	phalo	thora	ıx, all	teeth	on it	mer i	nargii	ı sma	ll, outer
	tooth	not	bifid	۴.										pallida

#### Eugnatha o.

maxime not reaching to the end of lang, in	nandibles pro	ojecun	g almost norizontally
			pallida
Maxillæ reaching to end of fang, mandibles	projecting	more v	vertically:
Outer side of mandibles nearly straight			. vermiformis
Outer side of mandibles concave			straminea

## Eugnatha vermiformis Em.

This species is somewhat rare. Length of female 12 mm. N. Y., N. Eng., L. I.

## Eugnatha pallida Banks.

The female has mandibles longer than *vermiformis*, the teeth are smaller than in *straminea*. The outer margin of the mandibles more like *vermiformis*.

One  $\mathcal{O}$  N, Y, 9 mm.; one  $\mathcal{O}$  N, Y, and one Fla. 7 mm. One  $\mathcal{O}$  N, Y, and one Fla. 12 mm.; one  $\mathcal{O}$  Fla. 9.5 mm.

# Eugnatha straminea Em.

The abdomen of the female projects a little beyond the spinnerets but not once its diameter. Length of female 10 mm. N. Eng., N. Y., D. C., Mich.

#### Eucta.

#### Eucta caudata Em.

The male is similar to the female but smaller, the tibial joint of the palpus not much longer than the patellar. This is rare in the north but quite common in Florida. — Can., N. Y., N. Eng., D. C., Fla.

The species of *Nysticus* may be arranged in three groups; those that have clavate hairs as *N. nigromaculatus* and *N. feroculus;* those that have pale line on the anterior legs as *N. gulosus, N. limbatus*, etc. Those without the pale line on legs as *N. nervosus*, etc.

### Coriarachne brunneipes nov. sp.

Length 9 mm. 5 mm. Cephalothorax and legs dark red brown, metatarsi and tarsi paler. A few small white spots on the cephalothorax and one near tip of femur above, abdomen (1) black above with a large iil-defined central mark of grayish white, the edges very ragged, abdomen (3) is almost covered with white, three large black spots each side send out branches which ramify through the white, sternum (1) pale with a central darker spot, (3) wholly dark brown venter gray, in the 3 more reddish brown. The whole body is very much depressed, more than in C. versicolor, the legs are slenderer than in that species, tibia I being over three times as long as broad. The abdomen is more elongate than in C. versicolor. The epigynum consists of a cavity much narrower behind, similar in plan to that of Gnaphosa, from the anterior margin there is a projection with a rounded posterior margin, which nearly covers the anterior portion of the cavity. The tibial joint of the palpus has a prominent lateral projection with a curved point, the tube is quite short.

This species is quite common in Washington State. (T. Kincaid.)

The genera of the Oxyopidæ may be readily separated as follows:

- What Emerton cally Opposes explains Honey (Now England

What Emerton calls Oxyopes scalaris Hentz (New England Lycosidæ) is not that species but is new. I have seen an adult female in Dr. Fox's collection which he obtained in New Hampshire.

# Oxyopes cinerea nov, sp.

Length § 8 mm. Cephalothorax and mandibles reddish brown, somewhat more brown on the sides and lighter in the middle, eyes on black spots, traces of dark lines reaching from the A. M. E. down upon the mandibles, maxillæ reddish brown, lip darker, sternum reddish brown, lighter in the middle, legs and palpi yellowish with darker reddish markings on base and tip of femora, and on base, middle and tip of tibiæ and metatarsi; abdomen dark gray, two diverging short white stripes near base, and two oblique spots on each side, further back a light stripe on each side of venter, a wide median black stripe from epigynum to spinnerets. Cephalothorax highest at eye-region straight and barely sloping until near the posterior margin where it suddenly drops, clypeus straight, legs spiny, abdomen widest near base, apex pointed, more stubby than the other species. The epigynum consists of a short rounded finger directed forward, somewhat like O. salticus but not pointed.

I have received, from Mr. Trevor Kincaid, another new species of this genus which he finds quite commonly in Washington State.

# Oxyopes rufipes nov. sp.

Length = 10 mm.,  $\sqrt{3}$  7 mm. Cephalothorax reddish, usually with a light median stripe, eyes on black spots, mandibles and maxilke reddish, usually

there are faint lines reaching from the A. M. E. down upon the mandibles, sternum reddish brown on the sides, paler in the center; legs reddish, more yellow at tips, a few dark spots at the base of hairs, dorsum of abdomen reddish brown, often with a light median stripe enclosing a spear-mark at base, and a short light mark on each side near tip; venter yellowish with a broad median brown stripe, spinnerets brown. The  $\delta^2$  is darker than the  $\mathcal Q$ . Sometimes the legs are a little banded. Cephalothorax highest at eye-region, gradually sloping concavely until near the posterior end, where if suddenly curves down; legs spiny, abdomen widest in front, tapering to apex; the epigynum consists of a rounded finger, somewhat similar to O. cinerea but more slender. Male palpal organ black, the tarsus is more slender than in the other species, the tibia has on the inner side a short pointed projection similar to O. sallieus, the basal part of the palpal organ is more complicated than in that species.

The four species of *Oxympes* may be separated by the following table:

Femora with a black line on under-side	alticus
Femora with a black line on under-side	. 2
2) Abdomen light, with black side and median stripes s	calaris
Abdomen light, with black side and median stripes	. 3
Dorsum of cephalothorax straight, about as high in middle as in ey	e-region
	cinerea
Dorsum of cephalothorax concave, higher in eye-region than in	middle
	rufipes

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## LOCAL ENTOMOLOGICAL NOTES.

Members of the New York Entomological Society and all others, are solicited to contribute to this column, their rare captures, local lists and other items of interest relating to the insect fauna of New York city and vicinity.

# LIST OF THE COLEOPTERA OF NORTH EASTERN AMERICA,

# WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO THE FAUNA OF NEW YORK CITY AND VICINITY.

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### SCHIZOGENIUS Putz.

- S. planulatus Lec.-N. V. Taken by Mr. Linell at Coney Island.
- S. lineolatus Say,—N. E. Amer. Lives under stones along river banks, June and Sept. Not common in this vicinity.
- S. ferrugineus Putz,—N. E. Amer. Occurs in salt marshes. Not common in this vicinity.
- S. amphibius Hald.-N. Y., Mo. Taken in this vicinity by Mr. Wm. Jülich.